



Donald Tibbie

March 6, 1926 - November 10, 2006

Donald Tibbie -- Kankakee Donald J. "Big Don" Tibbie, 80, of Kankakee, died Friday (Nov. 10, 2006) at his residence surrounded by his wife and daughters. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. Monday until the 7:30 p.m. services at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee. Graveside services will be held at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday in Mound Grove Gardens. Immediately following, everyone is invited to the Ohrt's farm. Cremation rites will be accorded by the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Crematory. Memorials may be made to the family wishes. Mr. Tibbie had worked for Nourie Golkie Coal, St. Germaine Coal and the Kankakee Ice Company. He had worked in maintenance for 18 years at Roper. He retired as owner and operator of Don Tibbie Trucking and Excavating after 55 years. He also owned Don Tibbie Salvage. He was born March 6, 1926, in Kankakee, the son of Carl and Lillian St. Pierre Tibbie. He was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley. He was a past member of the Moose. He enjoyed buying and selling, the outdoors, yardwork and his Harley motorcycles. Surviving are his wife, the former Grace A. Brammer, whom he married Sept. 21, 1968, in Kankakee; two daughters and one son-in-law, Karen Tibbie of Cissna Park, Kimberly and Darrell Ohrt of Limestone; two stepdaughters and one stepson-in-law, Juanita and Gerald Davis of Bradley, Brenda Pitzer of Cissna Park; four grandchildren, Michael Davis, Christopher Ohrt, Andrea Grace Ohrt, and Anthony Pitzer; two great-grandsons, Harley Michael Davis and Kaden Michael Davis; mother-in-law, Hazel Brammer of Bradley; and one brother and sister-in-law, Leonard and

Dorothy Tibbie of Bourbonnais. Deceased are his parents; two brothers, Floyd and Raymond; one sister, Bernice; one grandson, Eric Vickery; and his two special companions, Dolly and Whitey.



“ Grace and family, you have our deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Terry and Sue Reiniche##imported-end##

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“ My sincere sympathy to the entire Tibbie family. ĩ½

I fully understand how it is to lose a loved one: my Mom "passed" in Feb of this year at age 98-3/4.

May God bless you all & "hold you" in His loving arms.

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“ ĩ½A father figure in my life. ĩ½He was my fathers best friend. He will be greatly missed. My sympathys to the entire family.##imported-begin##Judy Tapp##imported-end##

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“ So sorry in your hour of sadness.My sister Donna told me and I hadn't seen you in a long while but you have my condolences.Al Smith##imported-begin##Al Smith##imported-end##

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